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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir or Madam:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action dated October 10, 2007, Applicants submit the following remarks. In light of these remarks, Applicants respectfully assert that the all of the claims of the patent application are patentable, and that the application be allowed.

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